



Great Basin Priority Summary Based on Most Recent 209's

Date: 8/21/2018

Priority	ST	Unit	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	% Cont.	Expected Contain. Date	Complexity/IC	Crews Assigned		Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs	Threats
											T-1	T2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3		
IA	ID	STF	Stewart Creek	Full Suppression	40 mi. NE of Mountain Home, ID	150	New		8/31/18	Type 4 IC Suemnick	0	0	0	0	0		
IA	NV	ELD	Goshute Cave	50% Monitor 50% Confine	55 mi. N of Ely, NV	795	New	0%	10/01/18	Type 4 IC S. Friedman	0	0	0	0	0	5 Engines, 1 T2WT, 1 T3 Helo	Camp and livestock, prehistoric sites.
IA	UT	FIF	Bridge Canyon	20% Confine 80% Full Suppression	12 mi. E of Delta, UT	545	New	42%	8/31/18	Type 4 IC Mason Carter	0	1	0	0	0	Maintain resources	Steep rocky terrain is going to hamper suppression.
New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin																	
1	NV	ECFX	South Sugarloaf	Full Suppression	20 mi SW of Owyhee, NV	69,001	5,159	20%	8/31/18	Type 2 Team Taiga Rohrer	3	5	2	2	1	1 T1HC, 2 T2IA, 2 T2HC, 5 HEBQ, 4 TFLD, 6 SOFR, 1 T3 Helo, 13 Engines, 1 ATGS	Threat to ranch residences, Mountain City, and Maggie Creek Summit Rd area
2	NV	LANX	Sheep Creek	Full Suppression	15 mi N of Battle Mt., NV	59,789	789	70%	8/23/18	Type 3 IC Thaler	0	1	0	1	2	Crews and aircraft	Ranches and residences, SGH, Mule Deer winter range
3	ID	SCF	Rabbit Foot	Full Suppression	14 mi SW of Salmon, ID	34,518	0	5%	10/31/18	Type 1 Team Tony DeMasters	3	2	3	1	2	5 HC2IA, 1 ABRO	Natural, cultural and historical resources. Residences, T&E species, Timber and grazing resources
4	UT	MLF	Coal Hollow	Full Suppression	15 mi. SE of Spanish Fork, UT	29,912	52	57%	9/01/18	Type 1 Team Dan Dallas	2	7	2	1	2	2 T-2IA crew, 2 HEQB	Moderate threat to values along SR-6. Structures, transmission lines, railroad, gas pipeline
5	ID	PAF	Mesa	Full Suppression	4 mi. S of Council, ID	34,719	0	95%	8/30/18	Type 3 Team Eli Grooms	0	4	0	1	1	Maintain resources	Pvt., BLM and FS timbered lands. SGH, grazing allotments

Evening Brief

Date: Tuesday August 21, 2018

Weather Summary

***** Mixed Wet/Dry Lightning across Idaho Wednesday *****

***** Gusty winds across northern Nevada and Utah and southern Idaho Friday*****

On Wednesday, storm coverage will shift to the north and east as drier air moves into the Great Basin from the west. Storms may be ongoing early Wednesday morning over Utah and even up into southern Idaho. Thunderstorms over Idaho will be a mix of wet/dry with only local areas likely seeing wetting rains. Storms will be wetter across much of Utah. Winds in the vicinity of storms will be gusty and erratic. Gusty winds are expected again Wednesday afternoon across eastern Nevada and western/central Utah as the storms move east, however RH will likely remain 20-30%.

Dry air will continue to spread across the area Thursday confining any storm activity to far southern Utah and the Arizona strip by Thursday afternoon.

Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	5	Moderate IA Attack Activity
National	5	GB New Fires and Acres: 39 fires 21.2 acres; 6,000 acres large fire growth

Great Basin Fuel Status [interactive link](#) (Use Edge, Chrome or Firefox browsers)

Fuels and Fire Behavior advisory has been issued for [Northern Great Basin](#)

Fuels/Fire Potential

A Fuel/Fire Behavior advisory has been issued for North/West Nevada into Idaho and Northern Utah. This advisory can be found here: <https://gacc.nifc.gov/gbcc/fuels.php>

Widespread areas of critically dry fuels continue across the northern half of the Geographic Area, although ERCs have decreased some with the showers and thunderstorms that moved across the area yesterday. However, ERC's are still in the 80th to 95th percentile across ID/WY/Nrn NV into Nrn UT, with pockets above the 97th percentile.

Sagebrush Live Fuel Moisture levels across the northern half of the Great Basin are near or below mid-August normals, and grasses are cured in all areas. ERC's are below the 50th percentile across most of the southern third of Nevada, southern Utah, into the AZ Strip, with only a few remaining stations in the 70th-80th percentile in southern/southeast Utah, which is near record levels for this time of year in those southern areas. However, increasing moisture by midweek across southern/eastern Nevada into Utah and the AZ Strip should knock fuels down considerably.

Resources:

Aviation within the Great Basin

- o 2 VLAT's, 6 LATs, 2 CL-415
- o 21 SEATs, 2 Fire Bosses
- o 10 Type 1 Helicopters / 9 Committed
- o 8 Type 2 Helicopters / 6 Committed
- o 20 Type 3 Helicopters

Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- o 12 IHCs Committed / 0 Available
- o 20 T-2 IAs Committed / 1 Available

Current Incident Details

Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Snell **	2018-NVECFX-010316	0.3	Not Contained	40.68075	115.429	FWS-OCC
Johnny Mine **	2018-UTCCD-000679	0.1	Not Contained	38.04879	114.0069	NO
East Simpson **	2018-UTSLD-000840	1.6	Not Contained	40.00421	112.7215	PHMA
Little Long Canyon **	2018-UTFIF-180471	0.1	Not Contained	39.27774	112.1736	NO
Yance **	2018-UTFIF-180472	0.1	Contained 08/20/18	39.28543	112.172	NO
LOC Big Hollow **	2018-UTRID-180473	0.1	Not Contained	39.27927	112.0627	NO
East Simpson 2 **	2018-UTSLD-000841	0.1	Not Contained	39.99601	112.7202	PHMA
Red Canyon Yuba **	2018-UTRID-180475	0.1	Not Contained	39.29797	111.9641	NO
Sheep Rock **	2018-UTUWF-000842	0.1	Out 08/21/18	39.98133	112.583	PHMA
Axhandle North **	2018-UTSCS-180476	0.3	Contained 08/20/18	39.28998	111.8653	NO
Cedar Mountain **	2018-UTSCS-180477	0.1	Controlled 08/20/18	39.02914	112.3254	NO
East Simpson 3 **	2018-UTSLD-000843	0.1	Not Contained	40.00551	112.7311	PHMA
Hwy 6 MM 131 **	2018-UTRID-180479	0.1	Not Contained	39.83747	112.138	PHMA
Tintic 1 **	2018-UTRID-180480	0.1	Contained 08/21/18	39.7596	112.2401	PHMA
South Power Plant **	2018-UTRID-180481	0.1	Not Contained	39.85573	111.9216	NO
Goshen Canyon **	2018-UTRID-180482	0.1	Not Contained	39.88787	111.9056	NO
CCFD 7 **	2018-NVCLRX-580442	0.1	Out 08/20/18	36.78158	114.1415	NO
Dry Mountain **	2018-UTUWF-000845	0.1	Not Contained	39.94425	111.7307	NO
East of Axhandle **	2018-UTRID-180484	0.1	Not Contained	39.28903	111.8307	NO
HIGH LONESOME	2018-UTNES-100378	0.1	Controlled 08/21/18	40.53102	109.7618	PHMA
307 Knoll	2018-UTNWS-000846	0.1	Contained 08/21/18	39.93773	111.5411	NO
Spring Creek	2018-UTSCS-180487	0.1	Not Contained	39.6343	111.3546	NO
OLD HIGHWAY 99	2018-UTUOA-100379	0.1	Not Contained	40.15077	110.4492	NO
Lower Whiskey	2018-UTSCS-180489	0.1	Not Contained	39.27219	112.3483	NO
CEDAR SPRING	2018-UTASF-100380	0.1	Not Contained	40.89557	109.4624	NO
Cherry Ridge	2018-UTSCS-180490	0.1	Not Contained	39.90193	112.2887	PHMA
Flute Shop	2018-UTSCS-180491	0.1	Contained 08/21/18	38.25022	111.3805	NO
McGowan	2018-IDSCF-018223	0.1	Not Contained	44.35994	114.0045	FWS-OCC
LOC I-80 MM 9 or 10	2018-UTNUC-000848	0.1	Not Contained	40.7384	113.8551	NO
Golden Ridge	2018-UTUWF-000849	0.1	Not Contained	39.8135	111.6481	NO
Bruffey	2018-NVEKD-010317	1	Not Contained	40.18392	116.03517	OHMA
Five Mile	2018-UTCCD-000685	0.1	Controlled 08/21/18	37.16758	112.0207	NO
Coal Hill	2018-UTCCD-000686	0.1	Not Contained	37.23836	112.7848	NO
SOUTH WHITEROCKS	2018-UTUOA-100381	4.7	Not Contained	40.46394	109.9494	NO
GUSHER	2018-UTNES-100382	0.1	Out 08/21/18	40.30452	109.7752	GHMA
Ash Creek	2018-UTCCD-000687	0.1	Not Contained	37.36768	113.1978	NO
LOST	2018-IDBOF-000936	0.1	Not Contained	43.72314	115.4346	NO
Double Chin	2018-NVELD-040222	10	Not Contained	40.071	114.45267	GHMA
Slideout	2018-UTUWF-000853	0.1	Not Contained	41.85767	111.4913	NO

****fires occurred previous night, not previously reported**

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)